

Society

There will be little of great importance this week to fill the calendar for society, beyond a few small and informal affairs. The Keswick Horse Show last week drew a number of Richmond people to Albemarle for several days, and some very lovely entertaining was given at the country homes in that neighborhood. The last of May will see most of the country places in Virginia thrown open for the summer, and at many of them the first week in June will be observed with a house party of congenial guests. More and more has the country house grown in its significance in the social history of this country, and especially in this State, and the last few years have seen the transformation of many historic old places into grand estates for the prominent society people. Many of the old homes have been parted from by their original owners, but there are yet a large majority of them where the same families have lived and entertained and danced and been married and been gathered to their fathers for generations past.

As was the case last week, society will be much engaged in charity affairs these next few days, and several entertainments of that character will take place. There is to be a big cantata at the Jefferson to-morrow evening, and story-telling for children on Wednesday and a number of other events equally as interesting.

Perhaps the most important event of this month will be the farewell recital of John Powell, which will be given at the Chester Hotel, in Chester, on Tuesday evening. This is just prior to Mr. Powell's sailing for England, and a large number of well-known society people will motor to Chester for the concert.

At the Woman's Club.
A charming musicale has been arranged for to-morrow afternoon at the Woman's Club, with Miss Marion Ryland as chairman. Mrs. A. R. Guigoh will sing and Miss Annie Louise Reinhardt will render several violin selections. Miss Myrtle Bedford will be the accompanist. The delightful little musicales always come in the month of May and form an interesting feature for the spring afternoons before the program of the club closes for the summer season.

Tea will be served at the conclusion of the musicale, and the tables will be decorated with roses and peonies.

Of Interest Here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McCullough announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Marguerite, to Charles B. Dove, of Bristol, Tenn., the wedding to take place quietly in the home of the bride's parents here on Wednesday, May 22. Mr. McCullough was at one time assistant secretary of the R. R. Y. M. C. A., and his daughter was well known throughout the city. Only relatives and a few intimate friends will witness the ceremony.

Annual Lawn Fete.

Friday, May 22, is the date set for the annual lawn fete of the Ginter Park Woman's Club for the benefit of Pine Camp. The fete will be held in the beautiful grounds surrounding the home of Mrs. Edwin Sampson, 507 Seminary Avenue, and the hours are from 3 to 7 in the afternoon and from 8 to 10 in the evening. In the afternoon the affair will open with a floral parade, in which all of the children will participate, from the babies in their flower-decked carriages to the older children on their bicycles. Prizes will be awarded to the prettiest in each class.

It is to be an exceedingly pretty function in every detail; there are to be automobiles in attendance to carry the children to Pine Camp, and ponies led by drivers costumed as Arabs will ride them through the grounds.

In the evening the entertainment will open with the street-vendors' parade, in which representatives from all the booths in costume will vie with one another in crying their wares. There is to be a fairy dance on the lawn, and dances by the girls and others, and the grounds will be beautifully decorated in bright-colored lanterns and flowers, and a full-stringed orchestra will play during the evening. Mrs. T. Crawford Reed has charge of the street-vendors' parade; Mrs. Charles Fleet, the candy booth; Mrs. John Garland Holland, the dances; Mrs. Lucian Curry, the floral parade; Mrs. Lee Rodin, lemonade; Mrs. Chapman, the string game; Mrs. Paschall, automobiles and ponies; and Mesdames C. C. Pinckney, Anne Glover, and others, the refreshment table. Music will be furnished by the country store; Mrs. Ben Wilson, to becoo; Mrs. Lewis D. Aylett and Edwin Sampson, decorations. The Boy Scouts will assist the committee in charge of the entertainment in keeping order.

Leaves for the North.

Miss Mary R. Roth, of 2308 W. Grace Street, left town last week for a trip to Philadelphia, Norristown and Atlantic City. Miss Roth will be joined by her father, John T. Roth, the latter part of the week.

Daughters of 1812.

The Dorothea Payne Madison Chapter, Daughters of 1812, will meet on Wednesday morning, May 21, at 11 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Leroy E. Brown, 534 West Grace Street. All members are urged to be present at this meeting, as business of importance will be discussed.

Hotel Wedding.

A quiet, but beautiful wedding was solemnized Monday, May 12, at high noon, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lewis, of Hoteltown. When the bride, Dr. Flavius Ruth, became the bride of Dr. Flavius O. Plunkett, a physician of Lynchburg. The bride was gown in a traveling suit of gray cloth and carried a shower bouquet of roses and lilies of the valley. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. P. Ryland, of Buchanan.

Quantities of gorgeous red peonies and other spring flowers decorated the several rooms and the tables in the dining-room were also decorated with the same flowers. Immediately after the ceremony luncheon was served.

Those present besides the immediate family of the bride were: Miss Plunkett, of Gretna, N. C., sister of the groom; Dr. J. West Lewis, of Lynchburg; Miss Annie McCullough, of Bluefield, W. Va.; Mrs. McGuire, of Craig; Miss Zola Thomas, of Lynchburg; Miss Rosa Thomas, Miss Fannie Thomas, Miss Bruce of Hoteltown; Miss Wyatt, Miss Allen, Mrs. C. P. Ryland and Dr. R. H. Latane, of Buchanan.

Following the luncheon Dr. and Mrs. Plunkett went in automobile to Roanoke, from which point they left for Northern cities. On their return they will make their home in Lynchburg.

Prominent Engagement.
The engagement is announced of Miss Allen Ford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ford, of Baltimore, and Ferdie and C. Latrobe, sons of the late Ferdinand C. Latrobe and Mrs. Latrobe, of that city. The marriage will take place in June, at the home of the bride, and will be a quiet one, with only the two families and a few friends present.

Mr. Latrobe has bought a country place called Woodview, near Belair, Md., which he and his bride will occupy after they return from their wedding journey.

Miss Ford, who is a beautiful girl and who has traveled extensively abroad, belongs to an old family resident for generations in St. Mary's County, Maryland.

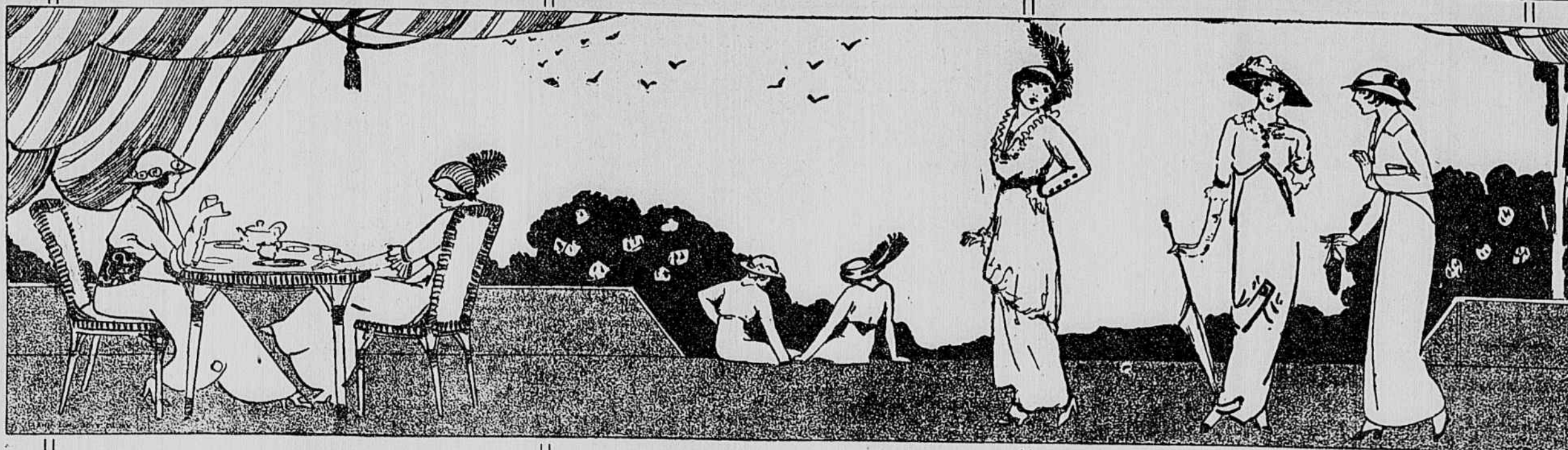
Mr. Latrobe's family is one of distinction and one identified with the professional, municipal and social history of Baltimore.

"The Rose Maiden."

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Beautiful, Cool, Summery Things That Will Make Madam's Eyes Sparkle

SUITS—DRESSES—MILLINERY—LINGERIE—PARASOLS



Fully 1000 Summer Dresses in Gigantic Sale Opening!

We wish to impress upon you the magnitude of this great summer dress stock.

No matter what may be the style, and no matter what may be the material you have in mind for a dress, it is included in our beautiful displays to-morrow. Lingeries, voiles, crepes, ratine, fancy crepes and striped sponge are all here in tailored and trimmed models. To be doubly sure that you will come and see this vast assemblage of new Dresses, we offer the three following frocks at exceptional prices:

Tailored Linen Dresses, \$7.50

Dresses that appeal to smart tastes. The fabric is a dainty figured crepe, made by the best American tailors; stylish lingerie collar, satin girdle and tie; the new overskirt effects; trimmed in buttons; garments that cannot be duplicated for less than \$12.00; to-morrow, \$7.50.

Smart Dresses for Misses, \$12.50

The season's most popular black and white, and brown and white striped crepe—a material of rare texture; blown effects, with deep silk faille girdle; finished with handsome buckle; lingerie collar and cuffs and smartly draped skirt. Cool summer frocks for afternoon wear and garden parties. Very rare values at \$12.50.

Distinctive Afternoon Dresses, \$25.00

We show a profusion of beautiful, exclusive styles at \$25.00, suitable for street and afternoon wear—Frocks of white ratine, vest and collar of voile embroidery, finished with Chantilly lace frill, black satin girdle and tie, draped skirt, nobby slip-on coat of imported ratine—in Copenhagen, rose and russet. To appreciate the charm of these Dresses you must come and see for yourself. Second Floor.

PARASOL TIME

Says the Weather Man—beauties here \$1.98



You would be willing to pay more for these Parasols if we asked it, for they are regular \$2.75 values

When Parasols are \$1.79

In the new bell shape; heavy taffeta silk; beautiful shades of Nell rose, red and Hunter's green; long black princess handles.

Children's Sun Shades 50c

Dainty effects in Little Children's Parasols, in pink, blue, red and flower designs; nicely finished wood handles.

First Floor.

Summer Suits

Unrivalled in beauty, variety and newness

Displayed To-Morrow

Comparison best proves our claims. Fashion loving women who desire to be correctly informed of the new summer models in Suits and Habits cannot afford to miss this display.

Cool, summery, stylish Misses' Suits of linen; latest Bulgarian blouse effect, deep fold belt; ratine collar, trimmed in glass buttons; artistically draped skirt; colors of tan, Copenhagen and oyster; \$10.00 value

Special \$8.75

Strictly Tailored Suits of ratines and linens; stylish straight cut coat; embroidered collar, trimmed in buttons; skirt gathered at back with belt, giving a new smart effect; white, russet, Copenhagen and rose; four styles for your selection; \$15.00 value

Special \$10.00

Exceptionally smart and of unusual value are these Suits of imported ramie linen; cutaway coat, draped front; collar and cuffs of white linen, embroidered in self colors; draped skirt; purple, pink, oyster and Copenhagen. The detail of this frock is perfect; \$20.00 value

Special \$16.50

Second Floor.

Have You Seen the New Summer American Lady Corset?

Just received the new models of these magnificent American Lady Corsets, which will mould your figure as no others can do.

Special Demonstration

Be sure to visit the Corset Department next week and let our expert show you the perfect fashion plate effects that the different patterns possess, when model and figure are correctly mated. Every style of figure should have its corresponding model and easy perfect fitting size—more women fail in style supremacy by wrong model selection than from any other cause. Avail yourself of the help our demonstrator can give you—who is virtually interested in your successful satisfaction. Third Floor.

Kaufmann & Co

Corner Fourth and Broad Streets.



New Summer Millinery

Following the trend of costumes and the new fabrics, the latest Summer Hats show quaint shapes and touches of color combining and trimming that wait us back a full century.

The little Poke Bonnet, for instance, that our grandmothers last wore—what could more charmingly emphasize chiseled features and Dresden coloring than the coquish outline of this favored little model?

Larger Hats that droop about the face are also desirable just now. Some of these are veiled in French crepes of pastel hue and caught with daisies and other blossoms. The style is very fetching and generally becoming.

All Model Hats at One-Third Off!

French models as well as our own designs. Second Floor.

Fourteen New Lots Added to Basement Muslin Sale at 33 1-3 Off!

GOWNS

One of the best values offered in Gowns. Kimono style, of longcloth, trimmed in wide Cluny and narrow Swiss; embroidered, ribbon heading; regular 75c gown; reduced to 50c.

Gown of longcloth, yoke formed of Swiss, embroidered medallions formed with Cluny edge and insertion; fancy founce sleeve. Price \$1.25, reduced to 80c.

Gown of crepe and seersucker neck and sleeves finished with Cluny edge; others trimmed in large Cluny medallions; white, pink and blue; sold for \$1.50, now \$1.00.

PETTICOATS

Petticoats in straight narrow cut hem, with embroidered scalloped edge; regular \$1.00 skirt, special 70c.

Black Heatherbloom Skirt, shirred founce on bottom; regular 75c skirt, special 60c.

COMBINATIONS

Combination Corset Cover and skirt; yoke of wide embroidered heading run with satin ribbon; neck and arm holes finished with Val. lace. Price \$1.00, reduced to 70c.

RIBBED UNDERWEAR

Vest fine ribbed, very elastic, crocheted neck and arm hole; tape run; full sizes, 10c.

Union Suits, very sheer and elastic, crocheted neck and arm holes; tape run, lace trimmed pants; full sizes. An extra special, 25c.

DRAWERS

Drawers of fine cambric, straight and circular legs, with hemstitched ruffle or trimmed in Cluny edge. Special price 25c.

CORSET COVERS

Corset Covers of long cloth, neck and arm holes finished with Val, Cluny and narrow embroidery, with ribbon heading ribbon run. Special price 25c.

CORSETS

Corsets of coutil, in medium and low bust, extra long hip and back; 4 hose supports; 75c corset, now 50c.

PRINCESS SLIPS

Colored Lawn Princess Slips, made straight and narrow, trimmed in Val, with deep tucked flounce on bottom; pink, light blue and black; \$1.50 value, \$1.00.

Princess Slips of nainsook; yokes of wide Cluny insertion; others with yokes of Swiss; lawn ruffle on bottom tucked and trimmed to match; sold for \$1.25, now 80c.

BLOUSE SPECIAL, \$1

Ladies' Blouse of voile and batiste, round and square collar, with deep side pleated frills; some with a touch of pastel shades; others with hand embroidered designs; trimmed in Val and lace. Many of these models are high neck, others low with full and 3/4 length sleeves; 34 to 44; regular \$2.00 values, \$1.00. Basement.

Kaufmann & Co

Corner Fourth and Broad Streets.

Jefferson Hotel auditorium to-morrow evening, will be one of the most delightful musical entertainments given here for some time past. All of the forty members of the Ashland Choral Club are musicians of note. The program, of Ashland, soprano soloist, has a wonderful voice of much strength and sweetness, and Miss

Frances Lancaster, also of Ashland, has an equally fine contralto voice. Howard D. Bryant, who is well known to Richmond audiences, will render the baritone solos, and Dr. M. Kohlert, the tenor. This attractive cantata is directed by R. C. Sainsbury. A large and fashionable audience will be present, and the stage will be

artistically decorated, and "Rose Maidens" in the persons of Misses Kathleen Hardwick, Pannie Brown, Alleen Graves, Angie Sims, Verna Albert, Dollie Colman, Elizabeth Adams, Dollie Adams, Josephine Enright and Lillian Beck, will sell candy and programs through the audience.

Messrs. George J. Freedley, Barton

H. Cameron, J. C. Dobbin, Fairfax Jones and J. P. Fox, chairmen on arrangements, have been assisted by the following: Mesdames John L. Williams, Conway M. Knox, St. George M. Anderson, Barton W. Wase, Frederick S. Valentine, A. J. Montague, Channing M. Ward, Churchill Chamberlayne, J. W.

Henson, W. T. Pinder, Howard Washburn, Barton H. Cameron, W. W. Hardwick, Fairfax Jones, Meade Addison, James E. Tyler, Clarence G. Burton, George J. Freedley, A. F. Shelton, W. T. Cruik, W. W. Huntley, Page Johnson, Thomas E. Floyd, R. T. Sydnor, J. E. Cox, J. S. Bowers, J. C. Dobbin,

R. T. Norment, George T. King, Bettie Valentine. Story-Telling Wednesday. The children of Richmond are invited to be present at the meeting of the Story-Tellers' League on Wednesday afternoon, May 21, at 5 o'clock in the Mechanics' Institute. The best

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